

In the Claims:

- 1.(currently amended) A packaged product comprising a substantially water-tight container and optionally further including a resealable opening said container containing a cleaning article comprising a substrate loaded with a cleaning agent, ~~and loaded with~~ a heat generating agent which is selected from a dehydrated salt, other mineral or a mixture thereof, and a fixing agent;
 wherein the cleaning article is adapted for cleaning a surface of an inanimate object and wherein the heat generating agent generates heat when exposed to water wherein the cleaning article comprises from 0.0001% to 1% by weight of cleaning agent.
 and further wherein the container is arranged to accommodate the cleaning article in a dry environment until it is desired to employ the article in a cleaning operation.
- 2.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the cleaning article ~~according to claim 1, wherein~~ the heat generating agent is applied to or entrained in the substrate such that it can be readily contacted by liquid water when desired and the heat generating agent generates heat as a result of a reaction with water.
- 3.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein the cleaning article ~~according to claim 1, wherein the cleaning article~~ is such that it can be briefly dipped in a body of water and/or placed under running water for a brief period to initiate heat production.
- 4.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the cleaning article ~~according to claim 1, wherein~~ the heat generating agent is carried by the substrate such that it remains attached thereto and is not deposited on an object during a cleaning operation.

- 5.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the
cleaning article ~~according to claim 1~~ wherein the substrate is a woven or
nonwoven sheet or a sponge.
- 6.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein the
cleaning article ~~according to claim 1~~ comprises ~~comprising~~ from 1% to 80% by
weight of heat generating agent.
- 7.(canceled)
- 8.(canceled)
- 9.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein the
cleaning agent ~~according to claim 8~~ wherein the surfactant is a germicidal cationic
surfactant.
- 10.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein the
cleaning article ~~according to claim 1~~ wherein the substrate is a non-woven wipe.
- 11.(cancelled)
12. (currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the
cleaning article ~~according to claim 10~~ wherein the heat generating agent is a
dehydrated aluminosilicate.
13. (currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the
cleaning article ~~according to claim 11~~ wherein the heat generating agent is a
dehydrated zeolite.

14.(currently amended) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein in the cleaning article according to claim 1, wherein the heat generating agent is bound to the substrate.

15.(canceled)

16.(cancelled)

17.(cancelled)

18.(currently amended) A cleaning article comprising a substrate loaded with a cleaning agent, and loaded with a heat generating agent, and a fixing agent, wherein the cleaning article is adapted for cleaning a surface of an inanimate object and wherein the heat generating agent generates heat when exposed to water, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 0.5 to 160 grams/m² and wherein the cleaning article comprises from 0.0001% to 1% by weight of cleaning agent.

19.(previously presented) A cleaning article according to claim 18, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 5 to 130 grams/m².

20.(previously presented) A cleaning article according to claim 19, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 10 to 90 grams/m².

21.(previously presented) A cleaning article according to claim 20, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 25 to 60 grams/m².

22.(previously presented) A cleaning article according to claim 21, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 30 to 50 grams/m².

- 23.(currently amended) A cleaning article according to claim 18 4. further characterized that the cleaning article is adapted to provide for substantially streak free cleaning of the inanimate surface.
- 24.(currently amended) A cleaning article according to claim 18 comprising a substrate loaded with a cleaning agent, ~~and loaded with a heat generating agent, and a fixing agent~~, wherein the cleaning article is adapted for cleaning a surface of an inanimate object and wherein the heat generating agent generates heat when exposed to water, wherein the loading of the cleaning agent on the substrate is from 0.5 to 160 grams/m², further wherein the heat generating agent is present in particulate form which is mixed with fibers of the cleaning article during the manufacture of the cleaning article to provide mechanical entanglement of solid particles of heat generating agent within the fibers.
- 25.(cancelled)
- 26.(new) A cleaning article according to claim 18, wherein the fixing agent is a binder selected from an acrylic latex, a styrene butadiene latex, a natural rubber based binder.
- 27.(new) A cleaning article according to claim 24, wherein the fixing agent is a film-forming agent selected from polyvinyl alcohol, polyvinyl alcohol/vinyl acetate copolymers, and quaternary ammonium salts of polyvinylpyrrolidone/vinyl acetate copolymers.
- 29.(new) A cleaning article according to claim 18, which article is a layered substrate which comprises at least a first non-woven web, a further non-woven microfiber web, and a second non-woven web.

- 30.(new) A cleaning article according to claim 29, wherein the layered substrate further comprises a third non-woven web.
- 31.(new) A packaged product according to claim 1, wherein the fixing agent is a binder selected from an acrylic latex, a styrene butadiene latex, a natural rubber based binder, or is a film-forming agent selected from polyvinyl alcohol, polyvinyl alcohol/vinyl acetate copolymers, and quaternary ammonium salts of polyvinylpyrrolidone/vinyl acetate copolymers.